

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON D.C. 20463

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Susan M. Federer 2553 Springvale Drive Dallas, TX 75234-3452

RE: MUR 5383

Dear Ms. Federer:

In the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities, the Federal Election Commission considered the issue of whether you violated 2 U.S.C. § 439a, a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, with respect to payments from Federer for Congress Committee. On August 27, 2003, the Commission found no reason to believe that you violated 2 U.S.C.§ 439a. Accordingly, the Commission has closed the file in this matter as it pertains to you.

The Commission reminds you that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed, at which time you will be sent a copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report.

If you have any questions, please contact Mary L. Taksar, assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650

Sincerely,

Lawrence H. Norton

General Counsel

By: Rhonda J. Vosdingh

Associate General Counse

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